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SUBJECT: NO PORTUGUESE BILATERAL ASSISTANCE TO GEORGIA

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Portuguese MFA interlocutors tell us that they will provide no bilateral assistance to Georgia, preferring to keep contributions under the European Union umbrella.

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